

Board of Registered Dietitians

Friday, December 14, 2018 @ Noon a.m. in Room 109
Public Minutes - DRAFT

The December 14, 2018 meeting of the Board of Licensed Dietitians convened at 12:15 p.m. at the Office of Professional Licensure and Certification with the following members present:

Jeanne Brown (Chair)
Carole Palmer
Dena Shields
Heather McMahan
Lisa Prospert

ADMINISTRATIVE

1. The public Minutes of October 5, 2018 were approved by a motion by Dena Shields, and a second by Carole Palmer and all other members present voting in the affirmative.
2. The Board signed certificates for recent license approvals.

QUESTIONS

Theresa McGowan, Administrator for the Board, advised that a new Board attorney is starting at the Office of Professional Licensure and Certification in January and will be requested to attend the Board's next meeting to address the two open questions listed immediately below.

Q. I'm trying to verify whether RD's in the state of NH can write diet orders in Long Term Care facilities, under our license/scope of practice. It appears to be a "gray" area in terms of the information I found through the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. I know many of us RDN's have been doing it for years with permission from our Medical Directors. If we have a protocol for which the Medical Director approves, is this an acceptable practice? I look forward to your guidance in the interpretation of this regulation under the NH RD licensing board. (Ann Sukany-Suls)

Q. Is there anything in the NH state law that prohibits dietitians from ordering lab work (urine, stool, saliva)? I am considering moving my business to NH and would like to know. (Kelsey Kinney)

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QUALIFICATION AND LICENSURE

1.) The Board voted unanimously to approve the following Applicants for licensure, with a motion made by Lisa Prospert and a second by Heather McMahan.

- Adhin, Nirmala
- DeGaspe, Danielle
- Elliott, Hannah
- Gonzalez, Yaima
- Hollenbeak, Jessica
- Igoe, Kayli
- Smith, Veronica
- Stone, Krystle
- Tryder, Marla
- Wellman, Lindsay

2.) The Board voted unanimously to approve the following reinstatement Applicant, with a motion made by Lisa Prospert and a second by Heather McMahan.

- Holt, Patricia

3. The Board voted unanimously to approve the following renewal application, with a motion made by Lisa Prospert and a second by Heather McMahan.

- McElwain, Maegan

Upon a motion by Jeanne Brown. and a second by Carole Palmer, the motion to adjourn carried in the affirmative at 1:18 p.m.